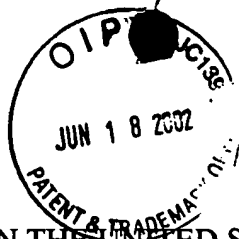


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Sir:

Prior to examination of the above-identified modified application, entry of the following amendment is respectfully requested.

IN THE SPECIFICATION

Please amend the specification, as follows:

Page 1, line 4, change "Description" to:

---Background of the Invention

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1. Field of the Invention--<sup>2</sup>.

Page 1, line 14, insert:

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---2. Discussion of Background Information--<sup>2</sup>.